

8 September 1971

The Honorable Philip J. Farley, Acting Director
U.S. Arms Control and Disarmament Agency
Washington, D.C. 20451

Dear Mr. Farley:

We are organizing a nine-week Seminar to be offered the first time this fall for a group of twenty senior CIA officers. "Major World Trends: Their Significance for Policy and Intelligence" will be an important segment of the Seminar and will cover key aspects of U.S.-Soviet relations, including likely trends in arms negotiations and their possible implications for the U.S. intelligence effort.

I would appreciate it if you could make time in your schedule to meet with the Seminar to discuss this subject early in the morning of 7 October. The Seminar will meet at our training location in Arlington. The Seminar Staff has prepared a brief information sheet with details concerning the point at which your presentation would logically fall, and concerning the Seminar site.

If you will be able to meet with the group, a representative of the Seminar Staff will furnish any further details requested by members of your staff.

Sincerely



/ HUGH T. CUNNINGHAM
Director of Training

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Enclosure

Information for the Acting Director, Arms Control and Disarmament Agency Concerning the CIA Senior Seminar.

1. The Seminar block on "Major World Trends of Significance for Policy and Intelligence" will begin 4 October. That day will open with an intelligence appreciation of the general world situation, followed by consideration of the Nixon Doctrine as the broad framework of U.S. foreign policy. The bulk of the first week will be devoted to U.S.-Soviet relations and to the Soviet Union per se.

2. U.S.-Soviet relations will comprise the following topics and speakers, in order:

U.S.-Soviet Relations: Conflict or Convergence?

- Dr. Zbigniew Brzezinski, Director,
Research Institute on Communist Affairs,
Columbia University

The Strategic Balance

- Dr. Wesley W. Posvar, Chancellor,
University of Pittsburgh

A Former Ambassador Looks at the Soviet Union

- Dr. Foy D. Kohler
Center for Advanced International Studies
University of Miami

Arms Control and Disarmament

- Hon. Philip J. Farley, Acting Director,
Agency for Arms Control and Disarmament

Intelligence and Disarmament

- CIA Panel

3. Mr. Farley's presentation and the panel on "Intelligence and Disarmament" are scheduled the same morning, 7 October. Our assumption was that Mr. Farley's schedule would not permit a lengthy appearance before the Seminar; we therefore suggested that he begin at 0900 hours and be with the Seminar at least until 1000 hours or, if his schedule permits, until 1030 hours. In addition to formal remarks, we suggest that some time be left within this period for a seminar-like discussion with members of the class.

4. The locale will be the Senior Seminar suite, Room 1001, the Chamber of Commerce Building, 4600 Fairfax Drive, Arlington, Virginia. Mr. Farley will be met at the Office of Training reception area on the second floor and escorted by the Seminar Staff to the tenth floor.

5. If any further information is needed, the Staff member in charge of this block, [REDACTED] on Code 143, extension 3741, will be glad to provide it.

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Philip Farley, Acting Director of ACDA, is now firmly committed to address the Senior Seminar on the morning of 7 October. However, he insists on a formal invitation. I checked with [REDACTED] to see whether DDCI could cooperate fast and was told he's on leave for two weeks. Karl said either Mr. Helms or you should sign the letter to Farley.

In the interests of clinching Farley we urge you to do so. It is rewritten and attached.

Thanks.



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